

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

Meeting Date: August 18, 2004

Division: County Administrator

Bulk Item: Yes ☒ No ☐

Department: Fire Rescue

AGENDA ITEM WORDING: Issuance of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (COPCN) to Key Largo Volunteer Ambulance Corps., Inc. (KLVAC) for the operation of an ALS transport ambulance service for the period August 25, 2004 through August 24, 2006.

ITEM BACKGROUND: Pursuant to the requirement of Chapter 6.5 Monroe County Code, an application for the issuance of a COPCN has been received from KLVAC to operate an ALS transport service from South Bay Harbor Drive and Lobster Lane (approximately MM#95) North to the Dade County Line on US Highway 1 and North on SR 905 to the intersection of Card Sound Road (SR905A). Upon the authority of the Monroe County Fire Rescue Fire Chief, the service area will be changed as indicated below under Contract/Agreement Changes.

PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOCC ACTION: Chapter 6.5 Monroe County Code allows the issuance of Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity, by the Monroe County Board of County Commissioners, to providers of essential emergency medical services who comply with the requirements of said Code and Chapter 401 Florida Statutes. KLVAC currently has a COPCN for the period August 25, 2002 through August 24, 2004.

CONTRACT/AGREEMENT CHANGES: The service area for KLVAC has been changed on the COPCN from previous years to read as follows: All 2400 and 2500 series fireboxes, generally from South Bay Harbor Drive and Lobster Lane (approximately MM95) North to the Dade County Line of US Highway 1 and North on SR 905 to just past the intersection of Crystal Drive, or otherwise directed by Monroe County Central Dispatch.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Approval.

TOTAL COST: N/A

BUDGETED: Yes ☐ No ☐

COST TO COUNTY: N/A

SOURCE OF FUNDS: _____

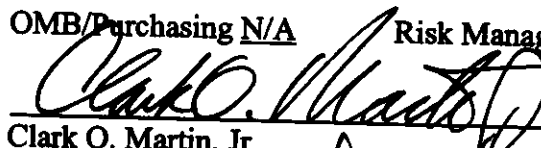
REVENUE PRODUCING: Yes ☐ No ☒ **AMOUNT PER MONTH** _____ **Year** _____

APPROVED BY: County Atty N/A

OMB/Purchasing N/A

Risk Management N/A

DEPARTMENT HEAD APPROVAL:


Clark O. Martin, Jr.

DIVISION DIRECTOR APPROVAL:


James L. Roberts

DOCUMENTATION: Included ☒

To Follow ☐

Not Required ☐

DISPOSITION: _____

AGENDA ITEM # C14

**Class A
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

WHEREAS, Monroe County Ordinance 1-1982 provides for the issuance of Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity for Emergency Medical Services by the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County; and,

WHEREAS, the Key Largo Volunteer Ambulance Corps., Inc. provides quality emergency medical services to the citizens of Monroe County; and,

WHEREAS, there has been demonstrated that there is a need for the above named service to operate in this County to provide essential emergency medical services to the citizens of this County; and,

WHEREAS, the above named service has indicated that it will comply with all the requirements of Monroe County Ordinance 1-1982 and Chapter 401 Florida Statutes, the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County hereby issues a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to this service for the period beginning August 25, 2004 and ending August 24, 2006.

In issuing this certificate it is understood that the above named service will meet the requirements of a ☐ BLS or ☒ ALS, ☒ Transport or ☐ Non-transport service, and provide service on a twenty-four hour basis for the following area(s):

All 2400 and 2500 series fireboxes, generally from South Bay Harbor Drive and Lobster Lane (approximately MM95) North to the Dade County Line of US Highway 1 and North on SR 905 to just past the intersection of Crystal Drive, or as otherwise directed by Monroe County Central Dispatch.

CERTIFICATE #04-04

DATE OF ISSUANCE

CLERK

CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS